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NOVEL SPECIALLY CONFIGURED NASAL PULSE

OXIMETER/PHOTOPLETHYSMOGRAPHY

PROBES, AND COMBINED NASAL PROBE/CANNULA, SELECTIVELY WITH SAMPLER FOR CAPNOGRAPHY,

AND COVERING SLEEVES FOR SAME

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 15, 2005, the following is submitted: